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Conclusion

Applicants respectfully submit that the claim amendments and the distinguishing observations concerning the references overcome the rejections maintained in the fir al Office Action. Since the "consisting essentially of" wording has been changed to "consisting of" Applicants respectfully submit that declaration evidence called for in the final Office Action is not now necessary.

In view of the foregoing, allowance of the pending claims is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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